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## BEFORE THE BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY IN AND FOR THE STATE OF UTAH

IN THE MATTER OF THE
APPLICATION OF TXO
PRODUCTION CORP. FOR AN
ORDER APPROVING THE LOCATION
OF APPLICANT'S TXO-USA "A"
NO. 1 WELL AS AN EXCEPTION
TO THE LOCATION PRESCRIBED
BY THIS BOARD'S ORDER IN
CAUSE NO. 149-1 IN SECTION
20, TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE
25 EAST, S.L.M., GRAND
COUNTY, UTAH.

Pursuant to the application of TXO Production Corporation, this cause came on for hearing before the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining, Department of Natural Resources and Energy, State of Utah, on Thursday, January 27, 1983, at 10:00 A.M., in Room 4110 of the State Office Building, Salt Lake City, Utah. The following Board members were present:

 ${\tt CHARLES} \ {\tt R.\ HENDERSON,\ Chairman}$ 

HERM OLSON, Presiding

MARGARET BIRD

ROBERT R. NORMAN

E. STEELE McINTYRE

Appearances were made as follows: for TXO Production Corporation (applicant) James W. Carter, Esq., 310 South Main, Suite 1400, Salt Lake City, Utah 84101.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board having considered the testimony adduced and the exhibits reviewed in said hearing, and being fully advised in the premises, now makes and enters the following:

## **FINDINGS**

- 1. Due and regular notice of the time, place and purpose of the hearing was given to all interested parties as required by law and the rules and regulations of the Board.
- 2. The Board has jurisdiction over the subject matter of said application and over all parties' interest therein and has jurisdiction to make and promulgate the order hereinafter set forth.
- 3. The Board has previously entered its Order in Cause No. 149-1 establishing 320-acre drilling and spacing units for the productive formations underlying Section 20 and other of Township 16 South, Range 25 East, S.L.M.
- 4. All available geologic and topographic data concerning the area indicates that the only practicable location for a well in the drilling and spacing unit comprising the W1/2 of said Section 20 is at a point 500 feet from the West line and 330 feet from the South line of said section.

Sufficient evidence now being available upon which to reach a decision, the Board issues the following:

## ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by this Board as follows:

The permitted location for the drilling unit well for Drilling Unit No. 37, Zone 2, comprising the W1/2 of Section 20, Township 16 South, Range 25 East, S.L.M. shall be at a point 500 feet from the West line and 330 feet from the South line of said Section 20 and said well shall be designated as the TXO-USA "A" No. 1 Well.

DATED this \_\_\_\_ day of January, 1983.

BOARD OF OIL, GAS AND MINING OF THE STATE OF UTAH

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